

Third Party Waste Ban Inspections Overview

SWAC

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Facilities Covered

- Existing Class II recycling program requirements continue to apply to those facilities (six municipal waste combustors)
- Facilities that do not accept loads > 5 cubic yards exempt
- Other solid waste facilities – inspection frequency depends on facility type & size



Inspection Frequency

- Active Landfill – once every 2 months (6/year)
- C&D Processing Facility - once every 2 months (6/year)
- Other Handling Facility/Transfer Station
 - < 50 tons per day – 1/year
 - > 50 tons per day – 2/year
- Combustion Facility - once every 2 months (6/year)
- Unannounced to facility and random dates



Loads Inspected

- Permitted @ 1-99 tons per day – 4 loads
- Permitted @ 100-299 tons per day – 8 loads
- Permitted @ 300-499 tons per day – 12 loads
- Permitted @ 500-999 tons per day – 16 loads
- Permitted @ > 999 tons per day – 20 loads



Third Party Waste Ban Inspection

- Monitor incoming loads and ID failed loads
- Record failed load information using standardized form
- Conduct comparative analysis
- Prepare report and submit to MassDEP



Trainings

- Existing third party waste ban inspectors
 - Classroom only training on new regulations and guidance
 - May 1 in Boston and May 8 in Worcester
- Others – classroom and tip floor training at facility
 - 3 original dates already full
 - Keeping waiting list and adding dates
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